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TWO KILLED, TWO SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Hit By Street Car When Making Crossing Near Vesta

TWO DAUGHTERS ARE INJURED

As the result of a distressing accident which occurred Monday afternoon at 4:07 o'clock near Vesta, two were killed, one fatally injured and one seriously injured when a street car hit an automobile in which four people were riding.

The Dead

Robert McCollum, aged 46 years, of California, a miner employed at Vesta, killed almost instantly.

Roy McCollum, aged 14 years, son of Robert McCollum, killed almost instantly.

Bessie McCollum, aged 20, daughter of Robert McCollum, compound fracture of the thigh and scalp wound. Died this morning at 5 o'clock at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital.

The Injured.

Ethel P. McCollum, aged 17, daughter of Robert McCollum; collar bone broken in two places; badly cut and bruised

Mr. McCollum and his three children had been at Lock Four, where he had just received treatment at the hands of Dr. Sickman. At the time of the accident he was on his way to his home in California.

According to the statement made by Motorman Stancliffe, when the street car was approaching the upper Vesta crossing, where the accident occurred, he saw the auto, which was close to the track, and going in the same direction as the street car. He saw Mr. McCollum reach, as he supposed, for his emergency brake, and the Ford came almost to a standstill; then it gave a sudden lurch forward and stopped directly on the street car tracks. The heavy interurban car was going forward at such a rate that it could not be stopped in time and it crashed into the light auto, hitting it near the hood. Mr McCollum and his son being killed, while his daughters were severly injured.

Word was at once sent to the car barn and a special car went at once to the scene of the accident The injured young ladies were brought back to the Charleroi-Monessen hospital. Dr. Sloan, of Charleroi, and Dr. Haines, of Allenport, having been summoned to attend them.

Motorman Stancliffe did all that was possible to stop the car and prevent the accident and in this statement he is corroborated by Conductor Gray. The auto, however, appeared to make a sudden lunge forward as if its driver had accidentally put on more gas, instead of applying the foot brake. Of the McCollum family the mother and one son are at home.

Coroner Heffran will make an investigation.

Mrs. Henry Hess and daughter Miss Icelene of Fairmont are visiting with Mrs. Floyd Bonnell of Fallowfield avenue.

WANTS REGISTRATION DAY SEPTEMBER 5.

Provost Marshall General Crowder wants the new draft bill, introduced in Congress on Monday, and which fixes the age of registration from 18 to 45, adopted in time to have the next registration day on the 5th of September. Unless it is made into a law it will be necessary to have weekly registrations of young men who come of age. Gen. Crowder said that unless the bill is made into a law at once there will be but 100,000 men in class 1 by the first of September with which to meet the demand for two hundred thousand, which will be the quota for that month.

IMPORTANT REGULATION

Inquiries to the Red Cross Should Be Started at Home Station

GUY MOFFITT IN CHARGE HERE

Many inquiries are made these days by anxious parents and others from the National offices of the American Red Cross concerning allotments, allowances, insurance and many of other features which concern soldiers and their families. This inquiry also concerns the whereabouts of soldiers in France, particularly any who may be wounded, or who is a prisoner in German hands. Heretofore all these inquiries have been answered from the national headquarters, but the burden has become too great, and beginning with August 5th all such inquiries hereafter will be referred to the Home Service Section, which will give he desired information, or which is in a position to get it within a few days. Guy Moffat, Esq., is in charge of the Service in Charleroi, and anyone desiring to make inquiries through the Red Cross must first see him. Should the letter be sent to Washington it will be returned to Charlero, for investigation and answer, and those who are making inquiries of any kind will save themselves much time and the National Red Cross a great deal of annoyance by applying to Mr. Moffitt, who will be very glad to give the desired information, or secure it for those making inquiry.

The relatives of Andrew Houseman, of 109 McKean Avenue, now serving in the 388th Ammunition train, have received word of his safe arrival overseas

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Miss Elizabeth Pardiny is spending a few days' vacation with her sister, Mrs. L. E Camio, at Dunbar, Pa.

Lieut. Lamb Severely Wounded In Battle

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lamb, of California, received a telegram from the adjutant general's office at Washington, Monday evening, announcing that their son, Lieut. Levi Lamb, had been severly wounded on the 18th of July. The telegram contained no other information than the bare announcement of the young man's wound, although his parents are hopeful of receiving more definite information within a very few days

Lieut Lamb is one of the best known young men of this part of the Monongahela valley. He was a student at the California Normal, going from there to Grove City College and later to State College, from which institution he graduated. He was a one of the leading athletes in all of the schools he attended and at State established quite a reputation as a wrestler and a football player, being Captain of State's team one year.

After his graduation he spent one year as an instructor at a boy's school in Boston, going from there to the high school in Jamestown, North Dakota, where he was an instructor as well as a coach for the football team. In the summer of 1917 he entered the Officers' Training Corps at Ft. Snelling, Minn., and was later appointed a Second Lieutenant in the Regular Army. He went to France on the 20th of September, 1917, and was assigned to Company K, Ninth Infantry, with which military unit he was serving at the time he was wounded. His father is one of the owners of the California Sentinel.

Charleroi Boy Sends Letter From France

Earle Wagner, now serving with Company A, 110th Infantry, a unit in the 55th Brigade, 28th Division, writes the Mail a letter from France. It is as follows:

On active service with th eAmerican Expeditionary Forces, June 28, 1918 —To the Charleroi Mail—Dear Sirs. Just a little note from one of the Charleroi boys now over here doing his "bit" for Uncle Sam.

This being my first letter to you I will try to give you a brief description of our trip since we left the states As we are not allowed to put our Company or regimental number at the finishing or starting of a letter I will give it to you now. I suppose you know we are Company A, 110th U. S. of the A. E F., so you will know who is writing this letter

First, our trip over was about as pleasant as any one could desire. We arrived in England and traveled across the country in trains that would make the people back home laugh. They sure surprised the boys once they were on them and started going. We arrived, after traveling all night, at a certain seaport, where we were shipped to France. We landed, as I can readily see now, in what is in my opinion the worst part of France. I would like to tell the people just where we landed, as well as other information, but the censor will now allow it.

The first night in France will be one long remembered by the boys from the Monongahela valley. Old Fritz came over air raiding, and talk about the Fourth of July. We were in that camp three days, when they started us on our way again Of course Fritz came over each night, but he was sure given a warm reception.

We were then sent to another British rest camp, and believe me they were sure rest camps. I don't blame any of the boys when they have made a trip to the front and are sent back for rest, for wanting to get back up again. We have been in several of these rest camps. I am getting a little ahead of my story. At our first camp we were made to unload our kit bags and get rid of our stuff the best way we could. Personal stuff and army equipment were just the same. An order is an order in the army and must be obeyed. The boys just threw thousands of dollars worth of personal stuff away. If my mother only knew just what I did with the stuff she knit for me I would get no more presents from her.

We left a certain camp with our house and belongings on our back. Just imagine a real live American boy "packing a pack" this size: Two blankets, overcoat, slicker, two pair of hobnail shoes, shelter half, tent pole and pegs, two suits of woolen underwear, three pair of woolen socks, one hundred rounds of ammunition, canteen, cups, messpan, pick, shovel, helmet, (iron,) and a gun. We hiked for three hays and then go a train ride in a side door pullman, a car about half the size of our own box cars. We then took a ride at night in an automobile, or French limousine, for about six hours. We then camped again. It was at that place I got my first glimpse of some one from the valley. In person it was Albert Ney. He was sure glad to see the boys from the valley and we had quite a talk with him. We were close to the place Tom Mangan had reference to in the letter you published in the Mail along about the first of May, which we happened to get a copy of over here. I thought perhaps I might get to see Tom, but when I looked for him he had left for some kind of a school and of course I missed him.

A few days later we packed baggage and all into trucks, and were hauled for about ten hours and then deposited again.

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Coyle Theatre Wednesday

Viola Dana, the little Metro Star, who played in "Blue Jeans" and other features, will be featured in "OPPORTUNITY"

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OUTSIDE BAKERS NOW COMPLY WITH THE CEREAL REGULATIONS

RETURNS HOME AFTER ENJOYABLE VACATION

Rev. C. A. Hartung, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, who has been away for the last two weeks spending his vacation among the boys in Khaki in several camps, returned home Monday noon. Rev. Hartung visited Camp Meade, Camp Lee, Camp Meigs, and the Camp at Fort Myer, Va., and reports the boys are in fine shape and that everything is being done for their welfare that is possible. On last Sunday night a week Rev. Hartung preached at Camp Meigs in the large Y. M. C. A. auditorium and reports a large attendance as well as the best of interest during the entire service. In addition to visiting the camps Rev. Hartung spent some time in Washington, D. C., Baltimore and Ridgeview Park.

WOMEN AS "RIVERMEN"

Pass Lock Four on Their Way South in Charge of Yacht

PROVE TO BE EXPERT BOATMEN

Women "rivermen" have made their appearance on the Monongahela, and their entry in this field of endeavor is noted with the greatest interest by the fresh water mariners, who have heretofore believed this field of endeavor was all their own, never to be invaded by the fairer sex. However the "old boys" were compelled o blow the dust off their spectacles and take a second look on Monday afternoon, when the trim gasoline yacht, "Virginia" under command of Capt. Nannie Schaffer, and Second Officer Anna Dolan, sailed into Lock No 4, on the way south to Fairmont, W. Va., where they will join with a camping party.

The yacht was a trim little craft, about 26x8, and was loaded with a camping outfit which will be used by a Pittsburg party at the headwaters of the river. Mrs. Schaffer, who is a well known canoe and motor boat woman, was in charge of the craft, and was ably seconded by Miss Dolan, both of whom appeared to be quite expert in handling the little boat. The lock tenders were glad to extend every possible courtesy to the ladies, who appeared perfectly at home on their natty boat. They expected to reach Brownsville Monday evening, and arrive at their destination possibly by Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Steinbaugh and family have returned from a vacation spent at Mountain Lake Park.

Place Necessary Amount of Substitutes In Their Bread

ALL MUST OBSERVE THE LAWS

Local food administrator Darby is giving the bread situation in Charleroi his immediate attention at the present time and is insisting that local, as well as outside bakers, conform strictly to the provisions of the regulations as laid down by the national food administration. Only on Monday the national officials again reiterated the necessity of following the proportions of cereals and wheat flour which must be placed in all bread, and Mr. Darby will not permit any baker, local of otherwise, to get away with any subterfuge.

The recent incident in which Belle Vernon bakers were concerned, has resulted in a victory for the local official in that these bakers are now using cereals in their bread, in the proportions demanded by the food administration. Mr. Darby did not go into that investigation for the purpose of "spite work" or to injure a man's business, but merely to insist that they follow the regulations. In order that he might have complete evidence against these bakers bread was purchased on the 19th, 20th, 21st and 22nd of July, at which time no cereals were found in the loaves. After being warned, another purchase was made on the 24th, when cereals were found, it being ascertained that at least one of the over the river bakers had made quite a heavy purchase of white corn meal from a Charleroi dealer.

Purchases of bread made on Monday from supplies furnished by the Belle Vernon bakers showed that they were using cereals in their product, and as aconsequence the local food administrator made no complaint.

Mr. Darby in speaking of the local situation said that if all bakers would follow the regulations of the national admmistration there would be no cause for complaints. It s up to the bakers to obey the law, and it is the duty of the food administrator to see that they do.

AUTO IS SLIGHTLY DAMAGED IN COLLISION

A collision between a loaded truck of the Wise Coal company and Dr. Manon's Jeffrey car at the corner of Fifth street and Washington avenue about 1:30 this afternoon, resulted in some damage to the auto. Paul Manon was driving the pleasure car, but no one was injured.

HOME DEFENSE POLICE WILL GET UNIFORMS

Members of the Home Defense Police are requested to be at the High School building tonight at 8 o'clock to receive their new uniforms.

Coyle Theatre Today

Billie Burke in a Paramount picture "LETS GET A DIVORCE"

Tomorrow Viola Dana in a Metro picture "OPPORTUNITY"

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THE STEEL INDUSTRY.

Only a bold prophet would predict when the Steel Corporation will cease bettering expectations and reporting marvels, each of which would be incredibale if it stood by itself and was not attested by announcing self-imposed and stricter than any required by government regulations, says the New York Times.

The net earnigs reported recently failed to be the greatest only because the taxes were the greatest. The gross enarings, were a gross maximum, despite the highest wages ever paid and although the unfilled tonnage has been exceeded. It will be seen that the reasons why the records are not beaten in all items only entitle the lower to greater respect. To make great earnings when business is turned away for government accommodation constitutes an appeal for praise from every patriot.

The corporation is setting aside about a million dollars a day for taxes. It is a little to say no other is doing as much. Others are not doing as much even in proportion, for the tax payment of the "Trust" are more than its share of wealth attributed to the nation. Under such conditions malice g naws a file when it objects to dividends on a scale certainly liberal, but surpassed by many doing less service to the general welfare. If that is doubted, it may be asked what greater blow could be dealt to those responsible for winning the war than the dissolution of the "Trust."

The report throws a light on the proposals of taxation. The greatest taxpayers are not the greatest sufferers by the highest rates. The Steel Corporation can laugh at tax burdens which would put competitors out of its way. We have learned that prices must not be so low as to put out of business those producers whose costs are greatest and yet whose product is necessary. Taxes must be proportioned sa as to bear most lightly on the least efficient producer. to whom thehighest prices must be allowed. Profit is usually regarded as the enemy to be attached and destroyed by every means. On the contrary profit honestly made is the guarantee of efficiency and should be encouraged. If themaximum output is wanted The strength of combination is not its vice. There is nothing to fear from conspirators in restraint of trade who are praised from the judicial bench when attacked by those to whose administration their actvities are essential.

CHANGING OCCUPATIONS

At the present time a number of school boards are having some difficulty in filling their faculties, owing to the heavy inroads made by war upon their available material. Not only have many men who were active in school work been taken and placed in the army, but many women teachers have given up their former occupations in order to accept situations which at the present time are paying their holders better salaries.

The increased money, of course, is the magnet which draws the applicant, and it must be admitted there never was a time in the hisory of the country when women were so well paid for their labor. This is particularly true of office work connected with many of the big mills, in which many women are now employed because of the scarcity of male labor. The women are paid just as well as the men, and with the frequent raises in salary which are being made from time to time, they are enjoying a season of prosperity such as they never before experienced.

However, in some cases those who choose between taking positions in offices or return to the calling for which they prepared themselves. Managers of large operations with much office work realize they must have their office forces stabilized and it is necessary for them to know and at once just how many of the women who have been teaching and who have been utilizing their summer vacation in making some spare money, they can rely upon. The question is therefore put directly up to them to make a choice—either remain in the office or go back to teaching.

It may be a difficult matter for many of them to choose, but in our opinion none of them would make a mistake by remaining in the schools. When the boys come home there will be another readjustment, and those young men who gave up splendid positions to enter the army will feel justified in again asking for the places they left behind to fight their country's battles. It may make a change in the affairs of many young women, and it would be well for those who contemplate giving up teaching to think well before they definitely decide.

A STRAIGHT LINE

That pocket which the Germans thrust into the French line from Soissons to Rheims and extending south of the Marne has been wiped out. The allied forces under General Foch have swept forward so relentlessly on their offensive that the Germans have been thrown far back until now it is expected the Huns will have to take refuge behind the Aise

Reports from the front say that the Allied nations will be thrilled when they learn of the large numbers of prisoners that have been taken in this counter-offensive while the Germans were attempring to escape from the encircling movement which was being c arried out by the Allies.

Just how great has been the victory has not yet been determined. It will take several days to estimate just what the allied armies have been able to accomplish, but it has been much. It is known that the Germans had accumulated large amounts of stores in the Soissons-Rheims sector, which were to be used in their drive toward Paris, but the unexpected attacks of the allies completely upset their calculations. Moreover, much of this material was either captured or destroyed, while the Huns managed to get some of it beyond danger. The result has been that the German curve has been abolished, and the Huns driver so far back that it will be difficult for him to stabilize his lines unless he has plenty of reserves to prepare new trenches. One thing is sure, while the German army was not destroyed in this sector, it was given the worst defeat it has met in the present war, and has been shown that the Allied armies are capable of doing even greater execution when their armies shall have reached the full force which additional man power will give them.

A MIGHTY ARMY

If the draft ages are extended to include those who are between 18 and 21 it will mean that the United States can raise the largest army in its history, with approximately 7,000,000 men in the ranks. It is estimated that the ages between 18 and 21 will give at least two million additional registrants, while the ages beyond 31 will give an additional amount. This number, with the three millions secured from those between 21 and 31 years, together with the men who volunteered will give the seven million estimated by war department officials.

Should this number be reached, it will give the United States an immense army on the fighting line in France as well as an immense army in reserve and in the training camps We may not need seven million men to bring the war to a close, but if we do, the proper thing to do is to get them and get them as speedily as possible. It has been demonstrated that the German army con be licked and with additional men in Europe, the Kaiser's men will be given the worst drubbing they ever received. The sooner this is administered the sooner we will have peace.

Old and True Expression.

The origin of the expression: "In union there is strength," is not known, but the sentiment in various forms has been current a very long time. A Latin author of ancient time said: "By union the smallest states thrive, by discord the greatest are destroyed." The American author of "The Flag of Our Union," said: "United we stand; divided we fall."

No Snap.

"Life is not merely tranquilly drawing one's breath," says the London Telegraph. Bet your boots it isn't! It's hustling like the dickens so that one can draw a few dollars at the end of the week to meet one's expense. —Boston Transcript.

Settling an Oriental Strike.

The dispute between labor and capital ended on Monday, and all weaving sheds are expected to work fully from Tuesday. This ending was hastened by the vow taken by Mr. Gandhi to abstain from food till settlement was reached.—From the Times of India.

To Measure Day.

The length of the day and night at any time of the year may be easily ascertained by doubling the time of the sun's setting for the length of the day, and doubling the time of its rising for that of the night.

WHAT THE HORSES CARRY

French, German and Austrian Animals Are Taxed More Than English and Russian.

Cavalry are playing an unexpectedly large part in the war, and the weight carried by cavalry horses in the various armies is of interest. The British cavalry is armed with the short Lee-Enfield rifle, the magazine of which holds ten rounds; the sword, which is carried by all ranks except trumpeters and the revolver, carried by warrant officers, staff sergeants, sergeants, trumpeters and rivers. Each trooper carries 100 rounds of ammunition in a bandolier over the left shoulder. Lancer regiments carry the lance. Each cavalryman (like the infantryman) carries an emergency and the "iron" ration and a ration for his horse. Then there is the kit. Altogether the British troop-horse carries about two hundred and eighty pounds.

The regular Russian cavalry are armed with sword, rifle and bayonet, and each man carries 40 rounds of ammunition. There are the two days' oats and hay ration, a cloak, and an entrenching tool. The cavalryman's kit, two days' rations, spare horseshoes, horse blanket, canvas bucket, and a mess-tin go to form the complete equipment, and weigh altogether about one hundred and nineteen pounds. The Cossack pony carries about two hundred and thirty-eight pounds. The average weight carried by the Indian troop horse when ready for war is about two hundred and sixty-six pounds. The Austrian troopers carry a weight between two hundred and eighty and two hundred and eighty-six pounds, and the average in the French and German armies is about the same.—Manchester Guardian

FIND CAUSE OF SOURNESS

Giant Elephant at New York Zoo Is an Actor and Naturally Temperamental.

At last Doctor Hornaday and Raymond L. Ditmars of the Bronx zoo have found out just why Gunda, in addition to being the largest elephant in captivity, has steadily built up a reputation as the greatest section of elephant hide encasing the largest chunk of temperament in the known world.

The answer is easy. Gunda's temperament is due to the fact that Gunda has become an actor. Temperament simply oozed from every pore when Gunda was called forth at long range to pose for the series of moving pictures that are being taken of the zoo animals for Curator Ditmars.

"Register sweetness and light, there's a good Gunda," called the movie director as Gunda was led out and the camera began to click.

Gunda, missing the cue, instantly tried to register murder, fire, and sudden death. Doctor Ditmars, who had been in the act of stepping up to Gunda and offering the elephant a loaf of bread, changed his mind and went away from there. The last heard of one of the movie men was in the form of a long yell retreating through Yonkers.

But Doctor Ditmars got his pictures of Gunda in the act of being temperamental finally, and they are now being shown by Doctor Ditmars these days at the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.—New York Sun.

War Distances.

War, besides being a great leveler, is also a great educator. Places we had never even heard of previously are now becoming as "familiar in our mouths as household words." The distances are apt to be somewhat confusing unless understood. It ought, however, to be quite easy to remember that a meter measures about one and one-twelfth yards, or more exactly, 39.37 inches. A decameter is 10 meters, a hectometer is 100 meters, and a kilometer is 1,000 meters, or a little more than three-fifths of a mile. The Russians express the length of their marches or the distance from place to place in versts. A verst is rather more than a kilometer, the exact distance being 0.6628S of a mile, or between three-fifths and four-fifths of that distance.

An Americanized Embassy.

The German embassy in Carlton House terrace in London has changed its name to suit the exigencies of the time. It is now labeled legibly "American Embassy" on front and chancellery doors, and the Prussian black eagle has been removed. By the irony of fate and its lease, it has recently been repainted with the rest of the terrace, and this the Prussian government will have to pay for sooner or later, or lose the lease.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Women Police for New Zealand.

Women police may shortly be appointed in New Zealand. It was recently decided that the government of New Zealand should communicate with the governments of countries in which women constables are employed, and, after considering the information obtained from this source, decide if the fair sex should be appointed to the New Zealand force.

And No Osterizing?

Insurance authorities find that in the last 50 years the average man has increased his length of life by seven years. At this rate, as may easily be determined, the man of 291 will live 140 years longer than the man of today, in spite of the war.

HARD TO INTERRUPT SERVICE

Common Mistake That Wireless Communication Can Be Easily Interfered With.

Many suppose that it is possible for an enemy to disrupt and suspend all wireless communication at will by producing very powerful waves of irregular length; in other words by interference or "jamming." According to Commander F. G. Loring of the British navy, such tactics are seldom successful. It is very hard, if not impossible, to "jam" a well-organized wireless service, for there are many ways, both technical and methodical, to defeat such an intention. If the enemy attempts interference, he must put his own wireless communication completely out of action for the time being, with no certain prospect of seriously inconveniencing the communication of his opponent. Commander Loring also believes that the risk of having the signals of the fleet intercepted by an enemy is very slight. "Co-operation between operators, with full knowledge of each other's methods, is extremely important when handling difficult code messages, and the more skilled the organization, the more difficult it is for a strange operator to take down with the necessary accuracy the groups of a code message. He cannot ask for the repetition of doubtful groups, and he has no intimate and daily familiarity with the methods of the sender to assist him in his task. And, after all, giving the enemy every advantage, giving him a perfect record of the signals, the key of the code to his hand, and equal facility of skill and language to translate it for use—a most important combination, it must be admitted—he has still failed to prevent the all-important information from reaching its destination." — Youth's Companion.

ORIGIN LOST IN ANTIQUITY

Phrase That Has Become Famous Has Been Credited to Many Thinkers and Writers.

"Germany's place in the sun" is a phrase usually credited to the former Chancellor von Buelow. But how far back does it go?

A writer to the New York Evening Post quotes from Ernest Renan's "Life of Jesus." "The situation of a poor man is dreadful; literally there is no place for him in the sun." The writer of the letter observes, "It would be interesting to know if the metaphor was original with Renan."

It was not.

In Pascal's "Thoughts" this occurs: "This place in the sunshine is mine; that is the beginning and the type of usurpation the world over." And Pascal's "Thought," of that moment, was of war.

Was it Louis Fourteenth (the monarch of Pascal's maturity) who had coined the phrase to justify his ambitions? Or was it the phrase of Richelieu (discoverer of the youthful Pascal's genius) who used it for France? Was it then an old saying, borrowed from Caesar, or Alexander—or maybe from Rameses?

A Terrible Weapon.

A new weapon has been provided for the United States army which is far more efficient than any heretofore adopted. It was invented and is used by the French military authorities, and already nearly a hundred have been purchased by the United States. The new gun, which is described in the June Popular Mechanics Magazine, weighs but 35 pounds and can easily be carried by a soldier. Two men are required to operate it, both of whom lie flat on the ground, presenting a small mark to the enemy. One man feeds the cartridges into the breech of the gun in clips of 25 each, while the other aims the weapon and directs the firing mechanism. The gun will fire separate shots or will operate automatically, in which case 300 shots may be fired per minute. At long range a third soldier ascertains the range by the use of binoculars and reports the effect of the bullets.

French Schools Reopened.

The schools of France have partially resumed, after holidays which started early in July. They are badly disorganized, however, both on account of the fact that fully 25,000 schoolmasters are serving with the colors, and that many of the older boys are on the firing line. By order of the minister of public instruction the first lesson of the term took the form of an address by the headmaster on the war, commemorating those who have fallen already in defense of the country.

In the girls' schools, two hours a day are to be spent knitting for the soldiers.

Development of Heat by Plants.

The development of heat by plants in Dewar flasks has been studied recently by H. Molisch. The flowers, leaves, and fruits of a large number of plants showed great contrasts in the amount of heat developed. Most leaves and flowers developed considerable heat; mosses, algae, and a number of common fruits, very little. Lichens and fungi showed a wide range in this respect.

House With Glass Floors.

George R. Howe of Norway, Me., is planning to build on a hill in that town a fireproof house, entirely of artificial stone, steel and glass. The floors and stairways will be of solid glass, while electricity will be used to a great extent to eliminate possibility of fire.

SUGAR ALLOTMENT CUT STILL FURTHER

Move Necessary in Order to Feed Our Boys Now on French Battlefields.

STRICT COMPLIANCE URGED

Grocers Must Keep Track of Sugar Needs of Customers in Order to Insure an Equitable Distribution.

New Sugar Rules in Brief.

One-half pound per person per week is the new individual allotment for the home.

Retail grocers are notified that their August allotment will be lessened.

Two pounds for each 10 meals served is the new allotment for hotels, restaurants, clubs, etc.

Manufacturers using sugar in less essential industries will be further limited in their sugar allotments.

Sugar for canning and preserving will be available on certificate issued by the grocer.

Any person attempting to "beat the regulations" runs the risk of having to go without sugar entirely. But Mr. Hoover believes public sentiment will stop the hoarder who is thus proving his willingness to help the kaiser.

"The retail grocer is hereby notified that his allotment of sugar for August will be lessened in amount and will be delayed in getting to him. Therefore, he must make his present supply go as far as possible under this new ration of one-half pound per person per week."

Howard Heinz, U. S. Food Administrator for Pennsylvania, made the above positive statement in connection with his vigorous comments on the new sugar regulation, rationing individuals at the rate of one-half pound of sugar per person per week. Mr. Heinz said:

"The U. S. Food Administration has now asked the American people voluntarily to ration themselves to the consumption of not more than one-half pound of sugar per person per week. This has become necessary in order that we may have sufficient sugar to supply our soldiers and to maintain the meagre sugar ration that our Allies have been drawing for the past few months.

No Boats to Carry It.

"We are also so short of boats which have been carrying raw sugar from Cuba that we cannot maintain our normal supply of sugar. I have no doubt that the American people again will demonstrate that they are willing to comply with whatever is asked of them, if it will help to win the war. This voluntary rationing will mean self-denial and sacrifice of what many have regarded as a luxury; but it certainly will not cause suffering or effect the health of any one.

"The American people have stood solidly behind Mr. Hoover in his requests, because he has been fair and reasonable, and because they believe that he knows conditions before demanding or asking anything of them.

"I feel that they will, therefore, now immediately see in how many ways they can assist in saving sugar by the use of substitutes and by using less sugar in everything.

"In order to insure every person getting his one-half pound a week, everybody must coöperate by using not to exceed one-third their normal consumption. The consuming public must fall in line and conform quickly and systematically to this new regulation.

"No person in a city is permitted to purchase from the retailer more than two pounds of sugar at one time, or in the country more than five pounds at one time. This means that the grocer should keep track of his customer's sugar wants, so as to perfect an equitable sugar distribution.

"Public opinion must be aroused to such an extent that it will be positively a disgrace for any one to attempt to obtain or to use more than the alloted amount of sugar. Certainly no one will be helping the kaiser more than the person who willfully disregards the voluntary rationing plan laid down by Mr. Hoover.

Everybody Must Save.

"It will require saving on the part of every man, woman, and child of our 100,000,000 population daily to make our present supply last; for if we should continue at our normal rate of consumption, we would have a sugar famine within a few months.

"All the less essential industries, including candy manufacturers, bottlers of soft drinks, makers of ice cream, and soda fountains have been limited in the quantity of sugar they are permitted to use. Because of the small amount of sugar allotments, some of these manufacturers already have found it necessary to close their plants. Many are using substitutes in making confections and are adopting other methods that will save sugar.

"All hotels and restaurants and public eating places are rationed on the basis of two pounds for every ninety meals served, effective at once. If they exceed this ration their supply of sugar will not be renewed. It is, therefore, absolutely essential that they keep a daily record of the number of meals served, so that the records may be audited by representatives of the Food Administration in time.

"It must be understood that any one desiring to use sugar for canning and preserving may obtain it by making application to his grocer. Any one, consumer or dealer, found to be abusing the canning and preserving certificate to obtain sugar for regular household consumption, will have his entire sugar supply cut off.

"Many persons are using the cold-pack method of preserving, so as to avoid the use of sugar. The Food Administration will be glad to furnish the recipe for this method to any one desiring it."

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In case of old running sores, no matter how long standing, a few poultices of San Cura Ointment will draw out the poison, and leave them in such a thoroughly aseptic condition that they will heal promptly.

We advise every reader to get a jar of San Cura Ointment today, and keep it ready for any accident or emergency that may happen. 30 cents, 60 cents and $1.20 at Henning's Drug Store and Piper Bros., Druggists on the money-back plan.

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CHARLEROI BOY SENDS LETTER FROM FRANCE

Continued from page 1.

We are at the present time within the sound of the big guns. They don't "feaze" the boys any, for we are now in a home and the boys just sleep through anything. Of course when I speak of a home I mean a real home, a place, for after being used to driving the cows, chickens, pigs or horses out to get a night's sleep, this is sure a place The boys all say it is too good to last long and they are looking for a move almost any time now.

I suppose by the time you receive this letter I will have had a taste of hell's fire. It will be a grand and glorious feeling when they give us that order.

We will all be a bunch of pack mules by the time we get back and won't need any one to carry our packages for us. I forgot to mention the most important thing, and that is, your gas mask. My advice to the boys coming over here is just one thing, learn to wear it and once you get them on keep them on until you are told to take them off. I have seen quite a few cases of our own American boys that have been gassed, and it sure is one awful sight. It is a sight that no artist can paint, nor can it be described by tongue or pen.

I have read one of your papers in which a letter was published from a British soldier, and from the sights I have seen and the way Fritz treats the civilian people on his air raids is certainly awful. The sooner he is taught a lesson the better it will be for all of us.

The only thing the boys are not getting at the present time is mail from home. I have not received one letter to date from any of my friends or my people and you can just imagine how anxious I am for news from home.

Will close wishing you a very nice Fourth of July and hope that some day I may get back to read this letter after it has been published.

Yours very truly, Earl.

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This young [illegible] her nimble fingers [illegible] the talk threads so necessary [illegible] great National [illegible] as human and [illegible]

The stress of these rush days, the wear and tear and grind, sometimes tell on our nerves and are reflected in our manner as we telephone. It should not be, for these are times, surely when the "voice with a smile wins."

Let us all remember the telephone operator and the part she is playing, and in from the and courteous in our relatio reached.—Fro

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TELEPATHY IS WIDESPREAD

Instances Frequently Indicate a Transmission of Thought, Says One Who Should Know.

Are we all mind readers? Can any business or professional man, with proper development, become an accomplished psychic, receiving and transmitting ideas without the use of a medium so gross as the spoken word? Recent experiments in the Curreot institute in France, and in the psychiatric clinic of the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore would seem to lead to this belief, and Norman R Prescott states his belief that this is true.

"There is not a man or woman alive today," said Prescott recently, "who has not been at some time or another the 'receiver' or 'transmitter' in a telepathic experiment. At times, it may have been wholly unconscious; at others it may have been dimly guessed: then again, it may have been thoroughly appreciated, but attributed to that very convenient old invention, the law of coincidence. One is talking to a friend, perhaps. He stops and when his friend replies, he realizes that he knew before just what his friend was going to say, and the exact language in which he would clothe his ideas. All of us have felt that, day after day, many, many times.

"That is telepathy; the transmission of thought through ether without physical aid. The more you study this wonderful science, the more you will be impressed with the fact that, for its success, it depends largely on two minds being closely attuned; there must be absolute harmony if there is to be success Such instances as I have mentioned a little before are found in their greatest frecuency, between husband and wife. And this is natural because of all persons in the world husbands and wives are most closely associated and bound by the closest, dearest, most binding ties. 'Two minds with but a single thought; two hearts that beat as one,' really expresses the idea perfectly. It is, I might say, the philosophy of telepathy crystallized in an epigram."

ROSCOE TO DEDICATE TABLET THIS EVENING

Roscoe will dedicate an honor tablet this evening, to the men from that and surrounding communities who are now serving in military and naval branches of the United States. The tablet has been erected on railroad property, and its dedication will be preceeded by a parade, in which all the organizations of Stockdale, Elco, Long Branch and Roscoe, as well as the school children of these boroughs will take part. A fine dedicatory program has been arranged, in which band and orbhesral music will be features. Among the speakers will be Thomas P. Sloan, of North Charleroi.

Thibet Practically Free.

Thibet is controlled virtually by the natives, who are a branch of the Mongol race, the Chinese government looking after foreign relations and maintaining small garrisons of Chinese troops.

Some Turn.

The dial of a French clock is perforated and behind it are numbered disks for both 12 and 24 hour time, either of which can be turned to show the figures through the openings.

Victims of Their Own Venom.

Those who, without knowing us enough, think ill of us, do us no wrong: they attack not us, but the phantom of their own imagination.—De La Bruyere.

The Main Question.

"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach." Wives have been hearing that for years. But what's the way to his pocketbook?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Lessons Learned Through Errors.

Instruction does not prevent waste of time or mistakes; and mistakes themselves are often the best teachers of all.—J. A. Froude.

Uncle Eben.

"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "worries so much about nuffin' dat it seems almost a favor to give 'em a little regular trouble."

How He Made It.

"Yes," said the millionaire, "I not only made hay when the sun shone, but I made it from the grass that grew under other people's feet."

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HARD MATTER TO ARRANGE

Question of Disarmament, Following War, Will Test the Mettle of Diplomats.

Whenever talk of the re-establishment of peace after the present war comes up disarmament or the reduction of armaments is sure to be an important issue. Just how the nations shall effect a program of disarmament is a vexed question. The Encyclopedia Britannica cites as "the only existing case of contractural reduction of armaments," the disarmament agreement of the 28th of May, 1902, between Chilean and Argentine republics By this agreement the two governments arranged to reduce their fleets "according to an arrangement establishing a reasonable proportion between the two fleets, and respectively promised not to increase their maritime armaments during five years, unless the one who shall wish to increase them shall give the other 18 months' notice in advance."

The Britannica authority points out that an agreement of this kind is more feasible among states whose navies are small, because in the case of large navies it would be difficult to agree on a principle for assessment of the proportionate fighting value of the respective fleets. Even comparatively slight differences in the ages of ships may make great difference in their fighting value.

Battle of Alma.

Sixty years ago soldiers of Britain and France, fighting side by side, achieved one of the most brilliant victories in the annals of war. Never has the valiant fighting spirit of the British troops been better shown than when, on September 20, 1854, they waded through the River Alma, amidst a shower of bullets, fought their way up the precipitous banks on the other side of the river and, having burst through the dense undergrowth of vineyards, drove back the Russians, who were led by Prince Menschikoff.

The British troops were led by Lord Raglan and the French by Marshal St. Arnaud. Three thousand three hundred of the allies were killed and wounded, a heavy loss when one considers that the British forces numbered only about twenty-seven thousand and the French thirty thousand.

Remembered Toast.

In the '50s I was in Washington at a dinner given by Senator Dawson of Georgia, writes a correspondent of the New York Sun. A number of guests were present, among them being the noted actor, James A. Murdock. Toasts were given, and the host requested that Murdoch recite Richard Brinsley Sheridan's toast, viz.:

The World:
We came into it, naked and bare:
We go through it with sorrow and care:
When we die, we go, God knows where:
If we are thoroughbreds here,
We'll be thoroughbreds there:
If we are scoundrels here,
We'll be scoundrels there.

This toast was recited with his unsurpassed elecutionary power and graceful manner, and left a memory that has been with me for years.

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Gaut—Kent.

Beautiful in all its appointments was the wedding of Miss Mabel C. Gaut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gaut, and W. Raymond Kent, which was solemnized at the home of the bride, McKean avenue and Third St., Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. A. Hartung, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, who pronounced the words which united the lives of two very popular young people of Charleroi. The attendants were Mrs. J. E. Barnhart, of Baltimore, who acted as maid of honor, and Lieut. John R. Gaut, as best man, who came home from his station at Camp Meade to be present at his sister's wedding. The wedding march was played by Mrs. W. Gray Gaut, the theme of "America" intermingling in a most patriotic manner as the bridal party took its place before the minister. The bride was attired in a blue silk traveling suit and carried a large bouquet of sweetheart roses The maid of honor carried a large basket of pink and yellow snap dragons, while Mrs. Gray Gaut wore a boquet of pink roses. The color scheme was pink and white The ceremony was witnessed by members of the immediare families. Mrs. McClelland, mother of the groom, from Houtzdale, being an out of town guest Immediately after the ceremony the party sat down to a wedding dinner, after which the bride and groom left on a wedding trip which will include Baltimore, Washington and other eastern cities.

The bride is a graduate of the Charleroi high school, is well known in local musical circles and is one of Charleroi's most popular girls. The groom is an efficient employe of the Pennsylvania Railroad and holds a responsible position at the local freight office. Upon their return they will go to housekeeping in Charleroi.

Council of National Defense.

Owing to the war in Europe and the great need of nurses there, so many of our nurses have gone abroad, there is beginning to be felt a shortage of nurses. To meet the situation the United States is asking for 25000 Student Nurses. Pennsylvania's share in this is 2870 young women between the ages of 19 and 35 years, with a high school education or the equivalent of such.

Washington County is asked for forty and Charleroi is anxious to do her share in helping to raise this number so that our country will "go over the top" in this as in all other war calls.

All applicants who desire to register as a Student Nurse will report to the Local Red Cross Headquarters, in the Elk's Club, on Third street.

Mrs Ray Humbert,
Chairman Woman's Committee C.N.D.
53t4p

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CAPT. HARTLAND REJOINS HIS COMPANY

Capt. E. W. Hartland, of Co. A. 110th Infantry, of Monongahela, has rejoined his command, as a letter to his wife, received on Monday, would indicate. His arrival at Company headquarters early in July was the cause of great rejoicing on the part of the boys, who had not seen him since they left Camp Hancock late in April for overseas duty. He had been detached before his command left the United States to take up some important special work, which has been completed, and he rejoined his command in time to take part in the great battle of the Marne, which began on the 15th of July.

Albert Lutes of Camp Sherman is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Mary L. Lutes of Meadow avenue.

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WANTED—Three or four furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address 230 Mail office. 52-t3p

WANTED—Experienced telephone operator for private exchange. Apply 232 Mail office. 53tf

WANTED—Exeprienced girl. Apply Sugar Bowl, 431 McKean avenue. 53tf

WANTED—Young man. Light clean delivery work. State age, married or single. One who can operate Ford. Address W. S Mail office. 53t1p

LOST—Gold wrist watch, with black ribbon bracelet, Wednesday afternoon. In business section of Charleroi. Reward if returned to 228 Mail office. 49-tfp

LOST—Photograph about 6x9 inches on McKean avenue between Fifth and Tenth street. Finder return to John Melinchek, 1022 McKean avenue. 52-t2p

LOST—Saturday on Fallowfield avenue, two Yale keys on chain. Finder return to Mail office. 52t2p

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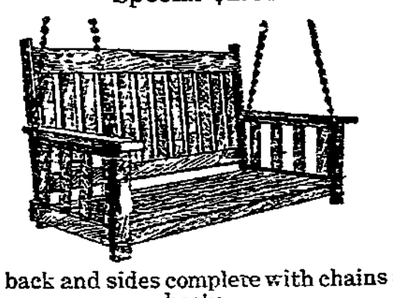

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T. B. Hagerty of Tranger was the guest of his brother Freeman Hagerty. He was accompanied home by his daughters Florence and Virginia who have been visiting here for several weeks.

Mrs. Ed. Geho is spending a week with Mrs. Robert Lange of Belle Vernon.

Miss Edna Payne and Miss Elizabeth Reed have returned to their home in Wilkinsburg, after spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Phillips and son Olen, of near Uniontown, spent Sunday here with the former's son. Frank Phillips, and daughter Mrs. Wm. Faulks.

Joseph Nutt is spending a few days at his home in Rices Landing on account of being ill.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Geib, when about 45 friends unexpectedly called. The affair was arranged by Mrs. John Metz and Mrs. Robert Reed, and was a complete surprise to Mrs. Geib, who received a number of beautiful presents in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music and a dainty lunch was served.

Mrs. Simon Sharpnack of Rices Landing was called here on account of the illness of her son, Norman Sharpnack.

Mrs. Freeman Hagerty spent Tuesday in Waltersburg.

Sylvester Campbell of Donora and Mrs. James Whetsel of Smock were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McVey have returned from a two weeks visit with Mrs. McVey's mother, Mrs. Sarah Bennett of McKeesport, who has been seriously ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Richard Burke. Mrs. P. E. Franks and son, and Mrs. Geo. Dennis were business callers in Washington.

Among those who are on the sick list are . Joseph Pelky, baby David Bradley,, Alva Dennis and William Mobley.

Master Charles McCann, who has been ill for a couple of weeks with an abscess on his neck, is much improved.

Joseph Reconna of Monongahela, and Earnest Frese of Donora were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frese.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellenberger and son Jack have returned home from a few weeks spent at the home of Mrs. Ellenberger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Amos of Columbia, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mobley were callers in Pittsburgh on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Dennis and daughter Dorothy and son Alva spent Sunday at the homes of the former's sisters, Mrs. James Star and Mrs. Clarence Fell of Brownsville.

Mrs. Richard Burke was a caller in Monongahela on Monday.

Miss Alda White and her friend from Morgantown. W. Va. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mobley.

Mrs. Liggett of South Carolina is the guest for a month with Mrs. Althea McKean.

Mrs. Ed Cox and baby of Pittsburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Jarvis.

Mrs. John Myers is spending a few days with relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Nora Horn of Monongahela was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Seth C. Bane.

Mrs. Homer Watson has returned from a ten day visit with friends in Greensboro.

Joseph and Arthur Sutherland and Frank Phillips were called to Wheeling to see the former's father, Fred Sutherland, who met with an accident recently.

The Rev. Cecil Neville of Canton, Ohio. is visiting here for a few days helping with the Evangelistic services at the Latter Day Saints Chuch.

Louis Cooper of Hazelwood visited friends here recently.

Thomas Malone, Joe Powell and Walter Burkhart of Pittsburg were guests of Harry Burkhart and Mrs. B. F. Sayers who are seriously ill.

Mrs. Ora Walls was taken to the Monongahela Hospital on last Thursday.

Miss Louise Racey has returned from a visit with friends in Greensburg.

Mrs. George Barnett has returned to her home in Parkersburg, W. Va., after spending several days here with Mr. Barnett's parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barnett.

Miss Daisy Stone and Miss Emma Vickers of Brownsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jenions.

Charles Sutherland has returned to his home near Wheeling after visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

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